GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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Air Services Agreements
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has signed air services agreements with other countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of benefits for the country through these agreements; and

(d) whether the Government has signed any air services agreement with Rwanda and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of CIVIL AVIATION

(Shri Jayant Sinha)

(a) & (b) Yes Madam. Government of India has so far signed/initialed Air Services Agreement with 114 countries. A list showing the name of the countries with whom Government of India has Air Services Agreement is annexed.;

(c) The Air Services Agreements between Government of India and other countries have the potential to spur greater trade, investment, tourism and cultural exchange, in tune with the developments in the civil aviation sector. This enables environment for enhanced and seamless connectivity, while providing commercial opportunities to the carriers of both the sides ensuring greater safety and security.;

(d) Yes Madam. Air Services Agreement between India and Rwanda was signed on 20th February 2017 at Kigali, Rwanda.